



R.I. President, 2022-23

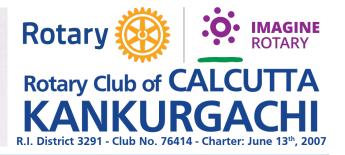


RTN. JENNIFER JONES RTN. SHAMPA CHOWDHURY RTN. AJOY KUMAR LAW

President, 2022-23



District Governor, 2022-23



#### **ANANDA DHARA - CLUB BIJOYA - DIWALI MEET**

On 28th October, the members of Rotary Club of Calcutta Kankurgachi gathered at Eastern Metropolitan Club to celebrate the traditional Bijoya-Diwali Meet, Ananda Dhara. The event was filled with various cultural programs performed by members of the club as well as other clubs. While Rtn Aditi Ray from R.C. Mahanagar and Rtn Parama Dasgupta from RC Calcutta South Circle delievered amazing performances, Club Trainer Gp Capt PP Rtn Tapas Kumar Ray, PP Rtn Ranjana Mutsuddi, Joint Secretary Rtn Dr Goutam Dutta Sharma and PP Dr Minakshi Banerjee mesmerized everyone with their talents. PP Rtn Amrita Ghosh Paul felicitated all the performers. AG Rtn Sandip Banerjee graced the occasion with his presence. The event coincided with 383<sup>rd</sup> RM of the club and concluded with mouthwatering snacks, sumptuous dinner & fellowship.



# **ALOR PATHE - BREAST CANCER AWARENESS SEMINAR**

Rotary Club of Calcutta Kankurgachi co-hosted Alor Pathe - Breast Cancer Awareness Seminar on 28<sup>th</sup> October at Rotary Sadan. Organized by R.C.Calcutta Charnock City, it had eminent speakers like Dr. Dhritiman Maitra, Dr. Sujoy Dasgupta and Dr. Prof. Dr. Raghunath Mishra and Dr. Sweta Chakroborty. DG Ajoy Kumar Laha, DGE Hiralal Jadav, DGN DR. Krishnendu Gupta graced the occasion with their presence.



# AAHLAD - DISTRICT DIWALI MEET 2022-23

Rotary Club of Calcutta Kankurgachi participated as an Associate Host in Aahlad, the grand District Diwali Meet held at Eastern Metropolitan Club on 29<sup>th</sup> October. The event was filled with several cultural programmes followed by fellowship and dinner. DG Ajay Kumar Law, First Lady of the District, Mitali Law and several members of R.I. District 3291 graced the occasion with their presence.



### **ANUDAAN - A SEMINAR ON ROTARY FOUNDATION**

November is the Foundation Month in Rotary. Keeping up with the theme, on 11<sup>th</sup> November, Rotary Club of Calcutta Kankurgachi organized a seminar on Rotary Foundation, Anudaan - a brainchild of Club President Rtn Shampa Chowdhury & CRFC PP Rtn Ranjana Mutsuddi.

Chief Guest DRFC PDG Rtn Sudip Mukherjee and Guest of Honour AG TRF 2 Rtn Bhaswati Roy graced the occasion with their presence along with several other District 3291 officials and club members. The speakers were felicitated with memento and a trophy for co-hosting Breast Cancer Awareness & Survivors Meet and another one for co-hosting Senior Citizens Puja Parikroma was presented to the club president.

Club members Rtn Samir Pal, Rtn Mridula Ray, Rtn Arunima Ghosal Mukherjee, Rtn Maitreyee Sen, Rtn Abhijit Das & PE Rtn Gour Sundar Sarkar promised to donate towards Polio Fund.



#### **CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATION**

Members of Rotary Club of Calcutta Kankurgachi celebrated Children's Day on 12<sup>th</sup> November with the students of Deshbandhu Balika Bidyapith, Narkeldanga. The event consisted of an Awareness Programme on Child Education & Basic Literature and an Environmental Development Education Programme.

Club Trainer PP Rtn Grp Captt Tapas Kumar Ray set things in motion with his amazing harmonica performance and AG PP Rtn Ranjana Mutsuddi spoke about the Importance of Child Education & Basic Development. Literacy Chair Rtn Dr Sonali Rudra presented a exellent speech about Implementing Child Education practically and contributed some academic books to the Schools Library. Saplings were distributed among the 150 students and 15 teachers who were present. Packets of Maggi, biscuits and fruit juice were distributed among the students. The teachers were presented with packets of sweets. The event concluded with a magic show.



## **INTERACT CHARTER PRESENTATION**

Rotary Club of Calcutta Kankurgachi sponsored their first Interact Club with the presentation of Charter to Interact Club of Bodhi Bhavans Collegiate School on 17<sup>th</sup> November. Chocolates, Chips and Sweets were distributed to the students and teachers of the school. Several members of the club was present at the event.



## **RCC CHARTER PRESENTATION**

On 18<sup>th</sup> November, Rotary Club of Calcutta Kankurgachi organized Charter Handover ceremony to their new RCC - Michael Nagar Senior Citizen's Association. District RCC Chair was present in the event and was felicitated with a bouquet of flower.

An interactive programme was organized between the club members and the new RCC members where Club Trainer PP Gp Capt Tapas Kumar Ray delivered an enlightening speech. The whole event was primarily organized by club member Rtn Samir Pal.



## **UPCOMING EVENT - ART FOR A STRESS-FREE LIFESTYLE**

Rotary Club of Calcutta Kankurgachi will organize a seminar on Art for a Stress-Free Lifestyle on 30th November.

Venue: 84, Ballygunge Gardens Time: 6:30pm onwards.

Eminent speakers Mrs. Sangeeta Das, Reiki Healer & Consultant and Mrs. Payel Ghosh, Parenting Consultant will deliver awareness sessions in their respective fields.



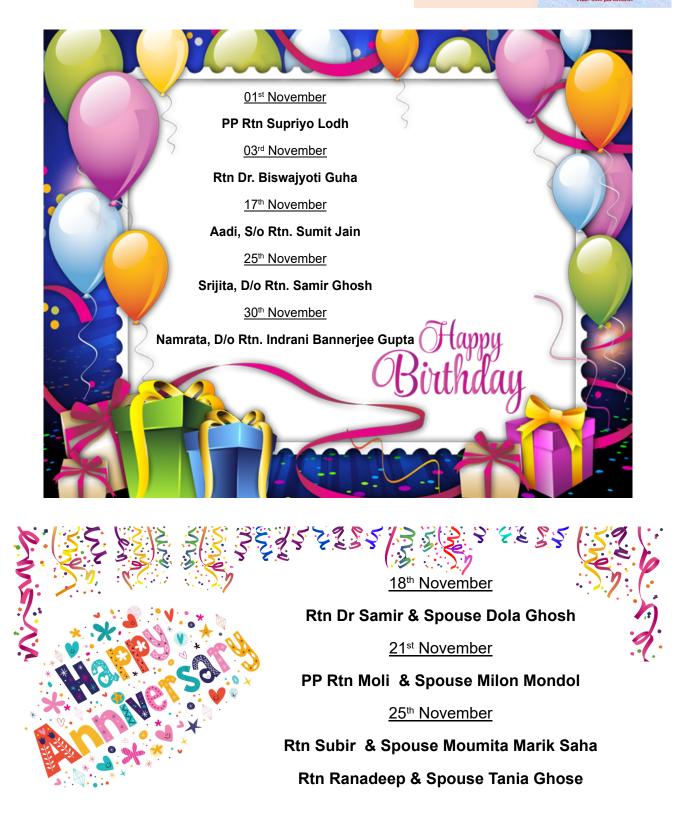
**Guest Speakers** Mrs Sangeeta Das Reiki Healer and Consultant

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Mrs. Payel Ghosh Parenting Consultant



Venue - 84 Ballygunge Gardens, Kolkata:700029 Date - 30.11.22 Time- 6.30 pm onwards



#### MINUTES Of 383rd REGULAR MEETING

The 383 Rotary Meet & Fellowship meet & Club Bijaya Diwali meet was held at Eastern Metropolitan Club on 28<sup>th</sup> October.

Club President Rtn.Shampa Chowdhury called the meeting to order and requested members to raise for National Anthem.

President informed that District Bijaya Diwali meet AHLLAD will be held on 29<sup>th</sup> October at Eastern Metropolitan Club from 6.30 pm

She also announced that RC Calcutta Kankurgachi is proudly one of the co-host clubs with a supporting amount of 5,000/- and 8 members from club will be attending.

Club President informed about one District project based on women empowerment RAMANI where RC Calcutta Kankurgachi will also participate individually.

A proposal was taken to celebrate Children's Day at Deshbandhu School on 14<sup>th</sup> November.

President informed about an upcoming project based on Transgender at Rotary Sadan. She also informed that District Governor Rtn. Ajay Kr Law kindly consented to grace the programme.

President informed about one Virangana project at Michel Nagar which will be coordinated by Rtn. Samir Pal.

She also informed about one project for Senior Citizen SAMMAN SENIORS program which will be coordinated by President nominee Rtn. Ranadeep Ghosh.

Club Secretary PP Indrajit Das performed the Club Business on request of Club President.

As there was a fellowship & cultural event to be followed by, Club President terminated the meeting & request members to enjoy the Bijaya Diwali meet & Fellowship with Dinner.

#### **MINUTES OF 384th REGULAR MEETING**

1. The 384 RM was held at CF-327 16<sup>th</sup> November

2. Club President called the meeting to order & requested all member to raise for National Anthem.

3. President informed that Children's Day project was well appreciated by PDG Mukul Sinha.

4. She also informed that Interact charter will be handed over to the school authority on 17/11/2022.

5. Club President also informed that the charter handover ceremony of newly formed RCC MICHAEL NAGAR SENIOR CITIZENS ASSOCIATION and the distribution of spectacles received for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Rotavision project will be organized on 18<sup>th</sup> November from 10 a.m.

6. District Chair RCC PP Jyotish Roy will be gracing the event with his presence.

7. President informed that NGO OTHO JAGO SOCIETY placed a request for mosquito nets any organizing one medical camp.

8. PP Supriyo Lodh proposed for one AIDS AWARENESS program at Redlight area. Local support can be organized by him.

9. President informed that RC Calcutta Kankurgachi will be cohosting with 2500/- for one district medical project DIL KI SUNO which will be organized by RC Calcutta Presidency in association with B M Birla Heart research Center.

10. It was proposed that the project with Transgenders can be organized on 12<sup>th</sup> or 13<sup>th</sup> December.

11. Club President informed that PP Sourish Chowdhury of RC Calcutta Newbies invited RC Calcutta Kankurgachi to visit their adopted garden at Newtown. He also proposed that RC Calcutta Kankurgachi can proceed for any environmental project or Ee...Zz...eE school project there.

12. PP Dr. Minakshi Banerjee also proposed if any land for Gardening option can be arranged in Newtown which was agreed by PP Supriyo Lodh and others.

13. PP Dr.Minakshi Banerjee informed about a proposal she received for a Book donation Project. She requested Club President to contact the proposer.

14. On behalf of club members, Club President felicitated PP Dr. Minakshi Banerjee for her newly assigned post as DS (Medical) for the upcoming Rotary Year 2023-24.

15. She also announced that an interactive session might be organized with Guest Speakers on next RM.

16. President requested Club Secretary PP Indrajit Das to perform Club Business.

17. As there were no more points left to discuss, Club President Rn. Shampa Chowdhury terminated the meeting and requested members to join for the refreshment High Tea.

NEXT ROTARY MEET - 30.11.22

**MEMBER PRESENT - 9**